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REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL OF HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT

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In response to the Communication dated February 13, 2007 and the Notification of Abandonment dated February 26, 2006, applicant respectfully requests withdrawal of the holding of abandonment.


As stated in the response to Notification of Missing Requirements dated May 8, 2006, it is respectfully submitted that the application was filed on September 20, 2005 with an English translation of the original International application and an English translation of the application as amended during the International phase.

The English translation of the original International application contains claims 1-6 and the English translation of the amended version contains claims 1-5.

A copy of the translation of the International application as filed is attached hereto. Also attached is a copy of the translation of the application as amended

In view of the fact that a translation of the International application was filed with the original papers, it is respectfully submitted that the abandonment of the application should be withdrawn.

Respectfully submitted,  
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